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2 Hearing Date: June 1, 2012

3 Hearing Time: 9:30 a.m.

4 Response Date: May 25, 2012

5 Hearing Location: Seattle

6 Chapter 7

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8 THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

10 In re

11 ADAM GROSSMAN, Debtor.
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Case No. 10-19817

REPLY TO TRUSTEE'S OBJECTION
TO MOTION FOR ABANDONMENT
OF 1697 STRAUSS LANE AND
METRO WAY TO THE DEBTOR

14 COMES NOW the Debtor Adam Grossman by and through his attorney of record
15 Jeffrey B Wells and in reply to the objection of the Chapter 7 trustee to Debtor's Motion for
16 Abandonment of 1679 Strauss Lane and 773 Metro Way to the Debtor states as follows.
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18 The Debtor Adam Grossman has waived by default his discharge in his Chapter 7. His
19 motivation for filing the present motion for abandonment therefore is based on one guideline:
20 what course of action will currently maximize the value available for creditors?
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22 As set forth in the declaration of Adam Grossman, the Debtor believes the economic
23 reality that real property with financing is fundamentally worth significantly more (to different
24 people) than net proceeds through liquidation fully accounting for all costs. This will mean that
25 more value is available to pay creditors if the real property is abandoned and resold in financial
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1 pieces to creditors directly or to investors who pay money which is used to pay creditors. In
2 addition, the present motion was filed two days after the motion for relief from stay was filed
3 by Wells Fargo Bank in an attempt to preserve something for the creditors. While the Trustee
4 complains about the Debtor's past actions, the fact remains that the Debtor has made
5 substantial offers during the current Chapter 7, prior to the current state of apparent
6 administrative insolvency to settle the estate. Debtor during the Chapter 7 has acted in the
7 interest of creditors.
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9 As set forth in Adam Grossman's declaration he does not believe that the trustee's
10 proposed disposition of the Strauss Lane property will result in any money for general
11 unsecured creditors. The trustee's own response points out that the Strauss Lane property is
12 worth approximately \$16,500 less than what is owed. The trustee argues that perhaps a short
13 sale can be arranged but this is mere speculation and has no effect upon the loss incurred by a
14 creditor. In addition, given the administrative costs of obtaining a sale, both in terms of realtor
15 commissions and trustee expenses, it is difficult to see how anything other than a de minimus
16 amount could ever be obtained on the Strauss Lane property. A detailed accounting presented
17 to the Court would be very illuminating. Furthermore, attempts to obtain a short sale
18 authorization from the lender and ongoing marketing of the property will saddle the estate with
19 more administrative expenses for what is now a speculative return.
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22 The trustee argues that it was the Debtor's initial actions which caused much of the
23 administrative expenses incurred by the trustee to date. The question before the court, however,
24 is what is the best course of action for the benefit of the creditors going forward. No other
25 factors matter.
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1 Finally the trustee argues that the debtor having no equity in the Strauss Lane property
2 does not have standing to request an abandonment. The trustee cites no authority for this
3 argument.

4 11 USC §554 (b) the provides "On request of a party in interest and after notice and a
5 hearing, the court may order the trustee to abandon any property of the estate that is
6 burdensome to the estate or that is of inconsequential value and benefit to the estate." Clearly
7 the debtor is a party of interest. The effect of abandonment is to divest the bankruptcy estate of
8 control over the abandoned property and reinvest the property with the debtor. The property
9 becomes the debtors just as if no bankruptcy that had occurred. In re Argiannis 156 B.R. 683
10 (Bkrcty M.D. Fla. 1993).

12 With regard to the Metro Way property the Trustee is clearly correct that the property
13 cannot be abandoned until and unless the property becomes property of the estate. Implicit in
14 the motion was the ability to submit an agreed-upon order to Judge Barreca formalizing any
15 further changes that need to be made. There appears to be some equity in the Metro Way
16 property but realizing that equity appears problematic given the potential foreclosure action by
17 Wells Fargo Bank. There is no automatic stay in place and so the foreclosure action can happen
18 at any time.

20 Instead of eking out a tiny bit of net equity from one property, Mr. Grossman proposes
21 to mitigate much larger losses on the combination of the two properties. As set forth in the
22 declaration of Adam Grossman, which accompanies this response, it appears that the Trustee
23 has overstated the equity in the Metro Way property. Debtor is concerned that if attempts to sell
24 the property are not successful in the near future, the current apparent equity will disappear

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1 with accumulating interest and the property will be lost to foreclosure. Debtor therefore
2 respectfully requests that for the benefit of creditors that the issue of abandonment of the Metro
3 Way property be revisited in the very near future so that if the Trustee is unable to sell the
4 property that it be abandoned to Adam Grossman so that he can make arrangements in a timely
5 manner to cure the existing default and preserve the property to maximize the value available to
6 creditors.
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8 Dated this 15th day of May, 2012.

9 /s/ Jeffrey B. Wells
10 Jeffrey B. Wells, WSBA #6317
11 Attorney for Debtor
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In re

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Debtor.

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DECLARATION OF ADAM R. GROSSMAN
IN REPLY TO
MOTION FOR ABANDONMENT

I, Adam R. Grossman, am the Debtor herein. I make the following declaration in reply to the motion for abandonment of properties located at 1679 Strauss Lane and 773 Metro Way in Redding, CA. Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 554(b), I am petitioning the court to order these two properties to be abandoned.

What course of action will currently now maximize the value available for creditors?

My goal remains to return investor value -- a high priority of the bankruptcy code -- that was incorrectly reclassified by the Superior Court and to repay creditors as much as possible and as fast as possible. To this end I have consistently maintained that to maximize the value available to pay creditors, a full settlement of the estate that minimizes costs and mitigates erosion of value that would otherwise be available to creditors in aggregate and fully accounted for would be in the creditors' best interest.

While I have been accused of causing delay I have, in fact, at regular intervals

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1 demonstrated that I have tried to advance settlement and ending of ever increasing costs which
2 I believe ultimately reduce value that would otherwise be available to creditors. An indication
3 that I have in good faith done this and advanced a conclusion, I have initiated regular
4 settlement offers to eliminate delay. At each of these times I was hopeful that litigation would
5 not further erode the value that otherwise would be available to creditors because delay is not
6 good for creditors and a partial accounting of costs that is incomplete does not, at best,
7 encourage value preserving behavior and, at worst, promotes value destroying behavior
8 resulting in less value available to pay creditors. Prior to the current diminished value of the
9 estate, I believed I could realistically raise close to \$200,000 but the continued erosion of value
10 long ago squandered that opportunity to the detriment of creditors.
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12 I believe that the most important factor determining the value available to creditors is
13 minimizing the duration the estate remains open. I have tried to reach resolution quickly and on
14 several occasions. I have made real settlement offers to do this on at least six occasions to
15 eliminate delay include those made on May 18, 2011, August 19, 2011, October 31, 2011,
16 November 8, 2011, December 16, 2011, and April 13, 2012.
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18 The Chapter 7 Trustee has a fiduciary duty to administer the estate in a way that
19 maximizes that value available for creditors. I, too, would like to maximize the amount of value
20 available to creditors: What course of action will currently now maximize the value available
21 for creditors? Nothing else matters regarding this fiduciary duty.
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23 I have reviewed the responses submitted to the original motion and have updated the
24 estimated cost to the estate under estate administration. I was previously wrong. For these two
25 properties, starting now the loss of value otherwise available to creditors would not be
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1 (\$50,000) but will be closer to (\$59,000) and this is based on the assumptions that were
2 submitted in response to my original motion: it uses Rob Middleton's recommended initial list
3 price, the trustee's elimination of phantom capital gains which can be offset, the removal of the
4 RBC Mortgage which occurred after my schedules were last updated. These are all
5 incorporated in Exhibit 3.
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7 I have also used full and complete data from the House of Realty for a period of nearly
8 two years. If the market is coming up, it still has not reached the average of 2010 and 2011 so
9 this period is relevant and not outdated.

10 Based on this analysis which is disclosed in full to encourage other people to properly
11 account for costs I believe any accurate analysis which accounts for all costs, line-by-line,
12 including shared costs that are allocated to asset administration, these two properties are
13 burdensome and have, in this case not merely inconsequential but, negative value to the estate.
14 See Exhibits 1,2,3.
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16 This analysis considers the creditors in aggregate and accounts for actual benefit and
17 actual losses in three ways: net claims distribution (the traditional way), gross estate collection
18 (measured but irrelevant to creditors who only see net after cost), and value available to
19 creditors, or lost by them, outside of the claims process. The last category is not the accounting
20 method typically used in the bankruptcy court but it is the accounting method that most
21 accurately measures the real effect on creditors in aggregate.
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23 A "carve-out" is not accounted for in full "on-book" because in reality it has no positive
24 benefit to creditors in aggregate and any alleged benefit is illusory. It merely shifts losses from
25 one creditor to another and loses money due to administrative overhead. "Negotiating a short-
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1 sale" is likewise illusory. This is an activity that means "creditors lose money" and a goal
2 should be to avoid this activity. "Preventing a short-sale" is an accomplishment to brag about.
3 The skill required of the benefits of such "negotiation" remain elusive to me. The market
4 determines the price.

5 What course of action will currently now maximize the value available for creditors?

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7 The economic impact incurred by creditors as a direct result of the actions taken or not
8 taken in these proceedings is very real to the creditors who are impacted even if it does not
9 show up on a partial balance sheet. This is not an academic exercise but a choice of decisions
10 that affect many people. The most accurate accounting which I have emphasized is a full
11 accounting that most accurately reflects how creditors as group are impacted. The reality is that
12 as much as I admire my attorney both personally and professionally, I am sure he can find other
13 clients and I would rather have the money paid to creditors. I would rather not have creditors
14 take losses "off-book": just because they don't show up in a particular report does not mean
15 some person or some company (read: "some elderly person's retirement savings") has not lost
16 money.
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18 In response to the trustee's objection and considering, What course of action will
19 currently now maximize the value available for creditors? I reply,
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21 Page 1: There is little information regarding maximizing of value available to creditors
22 and the trustee omits that nearly the entirety of benefit outside of the claims process will go to
23 repay creditors. This additional value available to creditors is very significant: probably integer
24 multiples of any amounts nominally obtained through the claims process and is very real to
25 creditors and valued by long-term investors. Outside of the claims process, I have more
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1 flexibility in selling long term cash flows and structured options which create value.

2 Page 2: What course of action will currently now maximize the value available for
3 creditors? There is little information regarding maximizing of value available to creditors. The
4 trustee's estimates are not realistic. They do not account for all costs. Rather than eke out a
5 meager gain from one at the expense of a huge "off-book" loss from the other, it would create
6 much more value available to be paid to creditors by mitigating or eliminating the other losses,
7 selling the assets in the form that yields the most value (with financing, without cost of sales)
8 rather than pretending that a particular type of report which partially accounts for costs pretends
9 that a positive number somewhere on it means creditors are better off. This benefit is illusory if
10 costs are not fully allocated.
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12 A simple example of flawed reasoning is to suggest that creditors in aggregate will be
13 better off if the administration of the estate is done by allowing Strauss Lane to be foreclosed or
14 short-sold and Metro Way to be sold at a meager profit. This results in a very small amount of
15 benefit distributed among claims holders but only at the cost of a huge loss borne by one
16 creditor that is much greater than the total amount of money received by other creditors. This
17 does not benefit creditors in aggregate. It hurts them and lowers the total amount of money paid
18 to them less losses suffered by them. To show that this reasoning is flawed, simply consider the
19 possibility that my late father had taken out a loan \$25,000 greater on Metro Way and given me
20 a present for \$25,000 which I used to pay one of the loans on Strauss lane. The estate would be
21 no better off. It would have the same gross assets and the same total debt. It is has the same
22 value but when you account for incorrectly it appears to have less value -- provided you are not
23 Wells Fargo.
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1 A full accounting, line-by-line, of all costs including shared costs that are allocated to
2 assets, extra revenue and can be used to monetize future cash flows and paid to creditors, true
3 effects on creditors (and others) and presented to the court would be very illuminating. I have
4 done so in Exhibits 2, 3, and 9 and the best decision for the benefit of creditors is obvious.

5 The Chapter 7 Trustee has a fiduciary duty to administer the estate in a way that
6 maximizes that value available for creditors. This proposal is consistent with that principle, or
7 at least provision of a full accounting that shows all costs and all revenues.¹
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9 Page 3: The trustee's analysis does not fully account for actual observed lowering of list
10 prices over time, the actual discount of sales price to list price, the additional accrued interest
11 while being sold, the mandatory California 3 1/3% sales tax withholding, the full cost of
12 commissions, the loss of rent, the loss of "carve-outs" which are borne by creditors even if not
13 shown on the balance sheet of the estate, and short-sales which are borne by creditor even if not
14 shown on the balance sheet of the estate.
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16 Most importantly, it does not include the added value of selling these in financial slices
17 to investors and tenants seeking rent-to-own opportunities who are willing to overpay in both
18 price and interest rate- often wisely so. When all of these costs and revenue sources are
19 included in the trustee's proposal and all of the costs and revenue sources are included from my
20 proposal, the difference in actual value realized and available to creditors swings from negative
21 (\$59,000) to significant long term value but only for patient investors, for appropriately "sliced"
22 pieces of the investment to sell when the form of the asset includes financing.
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25 ¹ If the trustee's actual accounting including all costs results in net proceeds of \$50,000, I will gladly find someone eager to pay
26 \$2,500 and support a motion that for \$2,500 donated to the estate, the estate will purchase insurance from the trustee who will
27 personally guarantee that the net proceeds will be at least this much. If \$50,000 net proceeds realized after all costs is a
conservative estimate, the trustee should be happy to receive a free \$2,500.

1 The Chapter 7 Trustee has a fiduciary duty to administer the estate in a way that
2 maximizes that value available for creditors. I, too, would like to maximize the amount of value
3 available to creditors. What course of action will currently now maximize the value available
4 for creditors?

5 Page 4: There is little information regarding maximizing of value available to creditors
6 but the taxes comment is helpful. The administrative costs are unknown. They could be more --
7 or less -- than stated.

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9 Page 5: When I have spoken to the banks, no matter which department I have been
10 connected to, they are universally thrilled with one answer: performing assets that do not incur
11 losses. My proposal to be allowed to turn these non-performing assets into performing assets
12 will result in full repayment to the banks, money to the estate, full reinstatement of the loans
13 which under California law may be done up until five days before a foreclosure auction,
14 monthly payments auto-deducted five days before they are due, the return to the "performing
15 assets" columns on the balance sheet, a \$2,500 bonus for each bank that I will agree may be
16 tacked on to the back of each loan, and a box of cookies for each person who has received calls
17 in loss mitigation. There is nothing more than this that banks want and nothing that the estate
18 will likely offer will make the banks as happy as full reinstatement, bonus, and boxes of
19 cookies.
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22 Due to the differences in intrinsic value between the assets liquidated or maintained, it
23 will always be possible to find investors willing to pay more to the banks -- and sooner -- than
24 an alleged agreement which is worse for Ms. Aspaas's clients' than the motion currently under
25 consideration: cures the default within a week, in full, continues payments covered by rent, no
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1 "carve-outs" and no "short-sales". When the alternative is 30 years at 4%, preserving a 6.75%
2 mortgage has tremendous value to PNC but I cannot price it exactly because I typically slept
3 through bond-pricing class.

4 In California loans may be cured up to five days prior to a foreclosure sale which has
5 not yet been announced and no bank would ever voluntarily elect to call a 6.75% note that is
6 being paid regularly. The due on sale clauses, which are shown in the filed motions, are
7 optional — as is typical. They have not been called for the same reason they will not be called if
8 the houses sit empty, generating no rent, for 187 days which is the average time to sell in
9 Shasta County. The statements made by the attorney for the trustee regarding whether the loans
10 will be called are incorrect both as a matter of law and a matter of expected behavior.

12 It is inevitable to get agreement from the banks because they will get much more from
13 this proposal. This is basic economics. The don't like "carve-outs" or "short-sales": they like
14 6.75% loans paid because the assets are operating not idle.

16 I have attempted to provide accurate data and anybody who would like to verify the
17 observations I have made based on actual data -- all of it -- is welcome to contact me for
18 assistance in obtaining it. I hope the Exhibits are now detailed enough and I'm sorry but I
19 expensed most repairs as they tended to be minor and have had no major capital improvements
20 to add to the tax basis.

22 I urge the Court to not allow this opportunity to escape. We should all work towards
23 maximizing the value available to creditors and not squandering it.

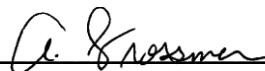
24 I hereby declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that
25 the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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1 Dated this 15th day of May, 2012.

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Exhibit 1 - Analysis From Motion (Original Analysis, Different Assumptions, Errors)

Loss Otherwise Available To Creditors	Strauss Lane	Metro Way	Total
Average Days On Market (DOM):	407	197	
(est. half) (%) REO Discount:	23%	23%	23%
Recent Zillow Gross:	\$153,000	\$147,500	\$300,500
Discounted Recent Zillow Gross:	\$137,175	\$136,538	\$267,713
1st Mortgage:	\$66,000	\$95,000	\$161,000
2nd Mortgage:	\$88,000	\$12,000	\$100,000
Selling Cost:			6%
Mandatory CA State Tax Withholding:			3%
LTCG Tax Rate:	20%	20%	
Tax Basis:	\$18,000	-	
Phantom U.S. Income Tax Liability:	\$119,175	-	\$23,835
Additional Estate Admin Costs:			\$10,000
Net After Discount, Debt, Selling, Tax, Admin:			(\$50,735)
Short Sale Hits Borodin/Grossman Credit:	Y	-	

**Loss Of Value Otherwise Available To Creditors
Continued Estate Administration**

1 **Exhibit 2 - Loss of Value Otherwise Available to Creditors**

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Loss of Value Otherwise Available To Creditors	Total
(fractional share) Legal and Administrative, Estate:	(\$50,000)
(fractional share) Legal and Administrative, Debtor:	(\$15,000)
(14 mos. * 2 * \$1,000) Negative Amortization/Lost Rent:	(\$28,000)
	(\$93,000)

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7 **Loss Of Value Otherwise Available To Creditors**
8 **Estate Administration**
9 **To Date**

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Exhibit 3 - Analysis From Reply (Corrections/Assumptions, Brown, Middleton, Crocker)

Loss Otherwise Available To Creditors	Strauss Lane	Metro Way	Total
(House Of Realty) Average Days On Market (DOM):	186	186	
Sworn Official House Of Realty Market Report, Gross:	\$137,500	\$160,000	\$297,500
Observed House Of Realty List Price:Original List Price, Discount:	-15%	-15%	(\$45,606)
Observed House Of Realty Sales Price:List Price, Discount:	-4%	-4%	(\$10,302)
(Incl. Observed) House Of Realty Market Report, Gross:	\$111,660	\$129,932	\$241,591
1st Mortgage:	(\$66,000)	(\$91,048)	(\$157,048)
(additional projected interest, fees to cure) 1st Mortgage:	(\$4,000)	(\$4,000)	(\$8,000)
2nd Mortgage:	(\$88,000)		(\$88,000)
(accrued interest during DOM while selling) Mortgage:	(\$4,023)	(\$2,420)	(\$6,443)
Selling Cost:	-10%	-10%	(\$24,159)
Mandatory CA State Tax Withholding:	-3%	-3%	(\$7,248)
Additional Estate Admin Costs:	(\$5,000)	(\$5,000)	(\$10,000)
Incl. Discount, Debt, CA Tax, Selling, Interest, Admin) Net Proceeds:			(\$59,307)
Short Sale Hits Borodin/Grossman Credit:	Y	-	

**Loss Of Value Otherwise Available To Creditors
Continued Estate Administration
Market For Six Months**

(House Of Realty) Average Days On Market (DOM):	All SFH Sales, recent 1+ years†
Sworn Official House Of Realty Market Report, Gross:	Sworn Declaration, Recommended Listing Price†
Observed House Of Realty List:Original List, Discount:	REO Sales, Discount of List Price to Original List†
Observed House Of Realty Sales Price:List Price, Discount:	REO Sales, Discount of List Price to Original List†
(Incl. Observed) House Of Realty Market Report, Gross:	Recommended Original List less Observed Discount
1st Mortgage:	Brown, Moewes, Crocker, Aspass adjustment
(additional projected interest, fees to cure) 1st Mortgage:	Aspaas declaration explicitly states these are missing
2nd Mortgage:	Agreed, Grossman error (no 2 nd) removed
(accrued interest during DOM while selling) Mortgage:	Estimated using simple 5% for average DOM
Selling Cost:	Brown, Moewes adjustment†
Mandatory CA State Tax Withholding:	In California, mandatory 3 ½% -- possible future refunded
Additional Estate Admin Costs:	(no change)
(Discount, Debt, Tax, Selling, Interest, Admin) Net Proceeds:	true projected net proceeds
Short Sale Hits Borodin/Grossman Credit:	Will a sale or foreclosure be short, harming credit?

†See Exhibits following

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Exhibit 4 - Average Days on the Market, House of Realty (all SFH sales)

YEAR-QQ	DOM
2006-Q1	153
2006-Q2	129
2006-Q3	119
2006-Q4	131
2007-Q1	124
2007-Q2	66
2007-Q3	73
2007-Q4	135
2008-Q1	114
2008-Q2	138
2008-Q3	90
2008-Q4	81
2009-Q1	91
2009-Q2	117
2009-Q3	107
2009-Q4	154
2010-Q1	158
2010-Q2	161
2010-Q3	102
2010-Q4	103
2011-Q1	248
2011-Q2	145
2011-Q3	166
Recent	186

1 **Exhibit 5 - Average Days on the Market, House of Realty (all SFH sales)**

2 It is my professional opinion that the Strauss Lane property should be listed for
3 approximately \$137,500 and would sell for approximately that amount. The Metro Way
4 property should be listed for approximately \$160,000 and I would expect it to sell for very
5 close to that price.

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7 DATED THIS 11TH day of May, 2012.

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10 Rob Middleton

11 **emphasis added**

12 **House of Realty Recommendations**
13 **None Of Rob's Sales Have Been At The Original Listing Price²**

14 In 2010 through late 2011 Rob sold 14 SFH units and not a single one was sold at the
15 original listing price. The discount to original list price ranged from 3.2% to 22.7%.³

16 The point is not that Rob Middleton is not a good broker but that the trustee should use
17 accurate estimates of expected discounts to original listing price.
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20 ² My friend Rob Middleton and my late father worked in real estate for over ¼ century. Their brokerages were 600 ft apart on
21 Market St. I like Rob and have used House of Realty to place offers, most recently in 2010. **I do not object to his employment.** (I do not agree that liquidating these two properties is in the best interests of creditors.)

22 Rob sells, true, but generally not at the recommended initial listing price. In 2010 through late 2011, Rob sold 14 SFH units and
23 **not a single one was sold at the original listing price.** His REOs sold at an average \$/SqFt of \$99 which is nearly exactly
comparable to the projected discounted price from original list price I have shown.

24 I feel badly petitioning the court to take business away from Rob. If my motion is granted, I will place 4 of my next 6 offers
through House of Realty so that he does not lose the business and I will make sure he gets commission on 2 of next 4 at least.

25 ³ The units he sold during this period were 1226 Pinon Ave Anderson; 3794 Hacienda Rd Cottonwood; 11399 Power Line Red
26 Bluff; 2135 Alden Ave Redding; 2312 Skyline Dr Redding; 2115 Olive Ave Redding; 2323 Windwood Ct Redding; 1352
Norman Redding; 14850 Valley Vista Ct. Jones Valley; 3271 Inverness St Redding; 1011 Layton Road Redding; 597 Terrace
Dr Redding; 11074 Old Oregon Trl Redding; 2341 Castlewood Dr Redding.

Exhibit 6 - REOs: Average List: Original List Discount / Sale : List Discount

REO Discount

List Price : Original List Price Sale Price : List Price

2003-Q1	0.0%	6.8%
2007-Q2	0.0%	0.0%
2007-Q3	10.3%	10.1%
2007-Q4	2.8%	3.5%
2008-Q1	5.3%	7.5%
2008-Q2	14.4%	9.7%
2008-Q3	14.1%	4.2%
2008-Q4	1.8%	1.1%
2009-Q1	2.4%	2.8%
2009-Q2	8.0%	3.2%
2009-Q3	18.8%	0.0%
2009-Q4	17.2%	3.3%
2010-Q2	7.1%	6.2%
2010-Q3	31.3%	13.1%
2010-Q4	2.9%	0.2%
2011-Q2	14.7%	1.7%

Recent Average Total

Recent: 15.3% 4.1%

19.4%

House of Realty REO Sales
List Price : Original List Price
Sale Price : List Price
2010 - late 2011

Exhibit 7 - Non-REO Sellers: Average List:Original List Discount / Sale : List Discount

Seller's Discount

List Price : Original List Price Sale : List

2006-Q1	12.7%	4.3%
2006-Q2	6.9%	7.5%
2006-Q3	2.2%	-0.2%
2006-Q4	13.6%	3.9%
2007-Q4	7.9%	0.0%
2008-Q2	11.7%	6.0%
2008-Q3	2.5%	2.7%
2008-Q4	4.8%	2.9%
2009-Q1	7.6%	1.6%
2009-Q2	2.7%	2.3%
2009-Q3	3.1%	5.8%
2009-Q4	2.6%	4.1%
2010-Q1	4.9%	5.5%
2010-Q2	4.7%	5.1%
2010-Q3	2.4%	4.8%
2010-Q4	0.1%	2.8%
2011-Q1	13.4%	6.2%
2011-Q2	3.9%	5.2%
2011-Q3	6.4%	1.3%

			Recent Average Total
Recent:	5.2%	4.7%	9.9%

House of Realty Non-REO Sellers Sales

List Price : Original List Price

Sale Price : List Price

2010 - late 2011

Exhibit 8 - House Of Realty: \$/SqFt (SFH) Non-REO Sellers / REOs

\$/SqFt (SFH) Non-REO Sellers / REOs

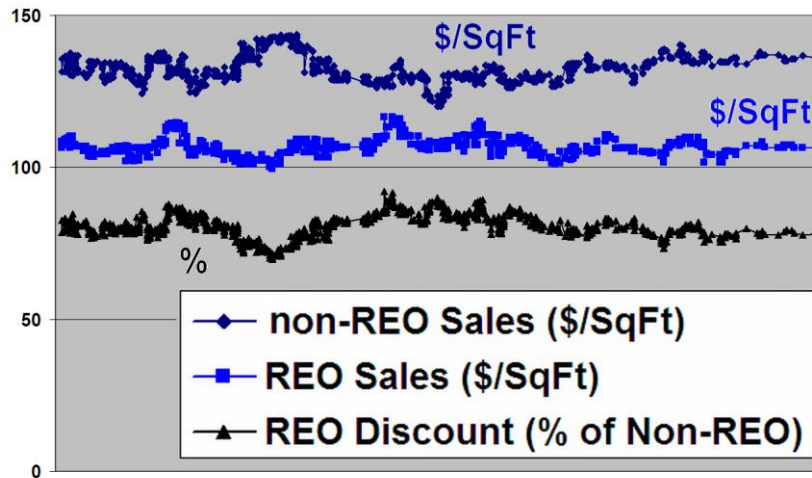
	Seller	REO	Discount
2007-Q4	161	144	10.6%
2008-Q1	145	126	13.3%
2008-Q2	152	125	17.7%
2008-Q3	153	127	17.1%
2008-Q4	156	128	17.8%
2009-Q1	157	127	19.5%
2009-Q2	150	123	17.8%
2009-Q3	143	116	19.0%
2009-Q4	138	112	18.5%
2010-Q1	138	106	22.7%
2010-Q2	136	97	28.9%
2010-Q3	134	96	28.7%
2010-Q4	129	96	26.1%
2011-Q1	128	90	29.7%
2011-Q2	124	104	16.4%
2011-Q3	122	92	24.7%

Recent: 25.8%

\$/SqFt (SFH) Non-REO Sellers / REOs

\$/SqFt (SFH)

2010 - late 2011



Shasta County - [Lower line only is %]

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1 **Exhibit 9 - Abandonment: Win - Win - Win**

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	Total
Unabandoned Part of Metro Way Family Trust	\$7,500

4 **Net to Estate:**

\$7,500

6 **Short Sale Hits Borodin/Grossman Credit:**

N

7 **Additional Value Created And Available To Creditors**
8 **Abandonment**
9 **Starting In Present**

10 Since the value of the properties is fundamentally greater if continued as operating units
11 rather than liquefied, it is logical and the court should fully that I will always be able to propose
12 a solution that results in creditors in aggregate fully accounting for all costs will retain and/or
13 be paid more value. It is a fundamental economic property that in this market and currently,

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$$(\text{Houses} + \text{Financing}) > (\text{House}) + (\text{Financing})$$

15 the value of financed housing is simply greater than the value of housing plus the cost of
16 financing. These can be offered any number of ways most typically as lease-to-own but most
17 lease-to-own business make money because people do not buy. I prefer that people eventually
18 buy. I never raise rent on tenants out of principle -- only on vacancy.

19 Abandoning these two units to allow them to operate rather than stagnate retains and
20 creates value rather than diminishing it. There will be more value available to creditors: banks
21 get paid in full, no carve-outs, no short sales, fully reinstated loans in one week, income
22 generating, attractive to long term investors, no short sales, net value paid less losses of
23 creditors will be more, estate costs are lower, management by local companies. Most
24 importantly, net present value of future gains can be packaged (e.g., stock in a company) and
25 given to creditors as debt repayment or sold to investors who pay money which can be used to
26 pay creditors. Bankruptcy estates do not do this and are unable to monetize this value.

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Exhibit 10 - Data Analyzed

The previous analysis uses all actual sales data from the House of Realty from all of 2010 through late 2011 for Single Family Homes (SFH). Some outlier sales or sales with missing fields were omitted. Sales included the following properties from House of Realty:

14000 Rugged Trl Redding, CA; 294 Mammoth Path Redding, CA; 35366 Nehemiah Dr Shingletown, CA; 744 Stonebriar Trail Redding, CA; 1154 Kirkwood Circle Redding, CA; 3882 Craftsman Avenue Shasta Lake, CA; 3126 Pinot Path Redding, CA; 3113 Colombard Walk Redding, CA; 4372 Agnes May Drive Redding, CA; 2154 Paris Ave Redding, CA; 4198 Sunflower Drive Redding, CA; 253 Yolla Bolly Trail Redding, CA; 17024 Buzzard Roost Round Mountain, CA; 2113 Hacienda St Redding, CA; 4724 Chico Street Shasta Lake City, CA; 848 Grouse Dr Redding, CA; 473 Woodcliff Dr Redding, CA; 3370 Heritagetown Redding, CA; 2143 Vienna Way Redding, CA; 818 Delta Street Redding, CA; 1226 Pinon Ave Anderson, CA; 3794 Hacienda Rd Cottonwood, CA; 11399 Power Line Red Bluff, CA; 2135 Alden Ave Redding, CA; 2312 Skyline Dr Redding, CA; 2115 Olive Ave Redding, CA; 2323 Windwood Ct Redding, CA; 1352 Norman Redding, CA; 14850 Valley Vista Ct. Jones Valley, CA; 3271 Inverness St Redding, CA; 1011 Layton Road Redding, CA; 597 Terrace Dr Redding, CA; 11074 Old Oregon Trl Redding, CA; 2341 Castlewood Dr Redding, CA; 5755 Constitution Way Redding, CA; 421 Rosewood Redding, CA; 1915 Bechelli Redding, CA; 22435 Golftime Drive Palo Cedro, CA; 20255 Oahu Place Redding, CA; 2655 Northway St Anderson, CA; 3345 El Camino Dr Cottonwood, CA; 2264 Crestview Redding, CA; 1965 Vineyard Redding, CA; 519 Reddington Drive Redding, CA; 3258 Greenwich Shasta Lake, CA; 830 Royal Oak Redding, CA; 2379 Marlene Redding, CA; 2062 Paris Ave. Redding, CA; 3429 Showboat Redding, CA; 163 Village Dr Redding, CA; 16565 Zephyrcrest Rd Cottonwood, CA; 1374 Edgewood Dr Redding, CA; 391 Franciscan Trail Redding, CA; 736 Johnson St Red Bluff, CA; 16048 Cloverdale Rd Happy Valley, CA; 1360 Willis Redding, CA; 6767 Cottage Hill Dr Anderson, CA; 5430 Rosswood Ln Redding, CA; 6767 Cottage Hill Drive Anderson, CA; 2286 Gold Street Redding, CA; 4385 Agnes May Redding, CA; 3867 Craftsman Shasta Lake City, CA; 19301 Lexington Redding, CA; 2865 Irwin Rd Redding, CA; 8071 Bass Pond Millville, CA; 471 W Minnesota Ave McCloud, CA; 22585 Stoney Creek Ln Palo Cedro, CA; 5838 Olive Anderson, CA; 30057 Smith Logging Rd Oak Run, CA; 1900 Jeanae Ct Redding, CA; 3668 Santa Rosa Way Redding, CA; 3550 Scenic Dr Redding, CA; 3533 Churn Creek Rd Redding, CA; 3705 Conchas Shasta Lake, CA; 20231 Lupine Dr Redding, CA; 20237 Lupine Dr Redding, CA

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